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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
HARALD GROEGER, ET AL. EXAMINER: POPA
SERIAL NO: 10/593,567 :
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FOR: PROCESS FOR PREPARING :
OPTICALLY ACTIVE AMINO
ACIDS USING A WHOLE-CELL
CATALYST

RESPONSE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Official Action of October 28, 2010, please reconsider the application as follows.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.